AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

The following listing of claims will replace all prior versions and listings of claims in the application.

LISTING OF CLAIMS

1 - 4. (Cancelled)

5.   (Currently Amended)   A liquid drop ejecting device comprising:

a liquid drop ejecting head device having:

a liquid drop ejecting head ejecting a liquid drop~~,~~:

a detachable storage section arranged in the liquid drop ejecting head device, being detachable from the liquid drop ejecting head device, and storing at least one of record ~~datum~~ data indicating whether or not the liquid drop is ejected from the liquid drop ejecting head device~~,~~: and

a storage controlling section arranged in the liquid drop ejecting head device, reading out at least one of the record ~~datum~~ data from the detachable storage section and/or writing at least one of the record ~~datum~~ data to the detachable storage section; and

a controlling device arranged separate from the liquid drop ejecting head device, coupled to the liquid drop ejecting head device, and transmitting, to the liquid drop ejecting head device, the record ~~datum~~ data and a driving waveform driving the liquid drop ejecting head ~~to the liquid drop ejecting head device~~.

6.   (Currently Amended)   A liquid drop ejecting device according to Claim 5, wherein

the liquid drop ejecting head device controls the liquid drop ejecting head according to the driving waveform which is transmitted from the controlling device and the record ~~datum~~ data which is read from the detachable storage section by the storage controlling section.

7.   (Currently Amended)   A liquid drop ejecting device according to Claim 5, wherein

the controlling device transmits a part of the record ~~datum~~ data or an entire record ~~datum~~ data to the liquid drop ejecting head device before the liquid drop ejecting head device ejects the liquid drop such that the record ~~datum~~ data be stored in the storage section by the storage controlling section.

8 - 15. (Cancelled)